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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

CARLOS E. KEPKE,

Defendant.

Criminal No. 3:21-CR-00155-JD

DECLARATION OF COREY J. SMITH
SENIOR LITIGATION COUNSEL
TAX DIVISION
IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR
PROTECTIVE ORDER

I, Corey J. Smith, declare and state as follows:

1. I am a Senior Litigation Counsel with the Department of Justice, Tax Division.
2. I am one of the counsel of record for the government in this case.
3. Attached hereto as **Exhibits 1 through 5** are true and accurate copies of evidence provided to Defendant's counsel in support of the government's Motion for a Protective Order.

1 I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is
2 true and correct.

3 Executed this _____ day of June 3, 2022.
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6 /s/COREY J. SMITH
7 Senior Litigation Counsel
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